school libraries, apparatus or other property belonging to the school districts as now organized or which may hereafter be organized within the lim its of their justisdiction, with full power to control the same in such manner as they may think will best subserve the interests of common schools and the cause of education; and when in the country of the heard and as far as practicable an equitable participation. ship board of education of the proper schools.
Sec. 21. Whenever in the opinion of the board

their duties in any sub-district as required by this act; and it shall also be the further duty of acting manager of schools for the township, who shall do and perform all such duties as the board supervision of the different schools, and the ed pentional interests of the township, and may allow him a reconnible compensation for his ser-

which they may change or after at any regular Sic. 23. The township board of education absolve from home, and that such settlesession, and the unmber of scholars assigned to shall have power, when in their opinion justice ment has since been actually made, it each; but no sub-district shall contain within its and equity require it, to estimate separately the limits, less than sixty resident scholars by that limits, less than sixty resident scholars by vaumeration, except in cases where in the opinion of
the board, it is necessary to reduce the number;
and it shall be the duty of the board to establish a
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such number of scholars to the several primary achools as they may think best, and when such assignment has been made, shall farmish the and Le applied or the specific purpose of provi-

Sac. 16. Whenever it shall happen that persons are so situated as to be better accommodiated at the school of an adjoining township, or whenevery it may be desirable to establish a of the school moneys coming into the hands of sons reside, or in which such schools may be situated, or if the townships or parts of ment of teachers in the proper township, and which the school isso be composed, to trans-shall be drawn for no officer purpose whatever: the township in which such school house is or may be located; but the caumeration of scholars shall be taken in each township as if no such teamsfer had been made, and such school when so composed shall be supported from the school when so composed shall be supported from the school when funds of the respective townships from which the school of the township fax as may have been transferred; and the board of that township in which the school house to situated shall have the control and may have been transferred; and the board of that township in which the school house to situated shall have the control and may be control as a stripe from the sale or rents.

Sec. 32. If we said colored children, and the school to such a stripe from the sale or rents. is situated shall have the control and manage ment of such school, malthe board of the adjoining township or townships so connected for school purposes shall each make the proper estimates of their share of the expenses of every

come unnecessary, they may sell and and schools of a higher grade than primary shall convey the same in the name of the town. be known by the appellation of central or high

conveyances of real estate which may be of the territory or districts named in the first section of the torsaid board shall be to said board tion of this set, over which the jurisdiction of the township and local directors is excluded, at the township and local directors is excluded. in their corporate name and to their successors in office.

Sec. 12. It shall be the duty of the township board of education to hold regular sessions on the third Monday of April and on the third Monday of October in each year at the usual place of holding such meeting, by posting the same in some public place in each of the sub-districts of the township elections, or at such place in the immediate neighborhood as may be convenient for the transaction of any business which may be necessary in relation to the subject of either the primary or graded schools of the township as they may think desirable for the transaction of business as aforesaid, and at all such meetings shall appoint.

schools to such schools, to employ, pay, and distains teachers, to build, repair and furnish the necessary school-houses, purchase or lease sites therefor, or rent suitable school-rooms, and make all other necessary provisions relative to such achools as they may deem proper; and it shall also be the duty of said board or education, to testerias all the powers conferred on local directors in respect to sub-district schools, whenever such local directors shall neglect to discharge the tested of the purposes other than for the payment of teachers, to build, repair and furnish the necessary school-houses, purchase or lease sites therefor, or rent suitable school-houses, and make all other necessary provisions relative to such additional amount as the board may think necessary, not exceeding two miles on the calculation of the exclusive purpose with the township clerk within ten days thereafter, and for ma miles on the dollar valuation of the exclusive purpose of sustaing teachers in the central or high schools, or for the purposes of prolonging, after the State fonds have been exhausted, the terms of the several each terms of the secretary terms of th

Sec. 15. The board shall have power to assign, subject to taxation and place, on the county

schols of a higher grade, according to age and attainments, and may admit scholars over twenty-one years of age, and may suspend, or authorize the local directors to suspend from the privileges of either of the schools, any pupil found guity of disorderly canduct, which suspension shall not extend beyond the cereent seasion of the school.

all school houses, school house sites, together with such other statistics and informa- prosecute, then any freeholder may cause such

and the auditor shall in no case permit the township treasurer to have in his hands at any one time an amount of township; such conveyance to be executed by the chairman and clerk of said board, and shall pay the avails over to the board, and shall pay the avails over to the township treasurer of the proper township treasurer of the proper township treasurer of the proper township for the benefit of schools, and all the township and who are not residents of any cent. on all school funds disbursed by

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Sec. 13. The township board of education, shall have the management and control of all the central end high schools of their proper township which may be established therein under the authority of this act, with full power in respect to such schools, to employ, pay, and distributed to such schools to employ and the country such as the country s

such local directors shall neglect to discharge their duties in any sub-district as required by many adjudge best, which reveral amounts of shall fail to make such annual settlement this act; and it shall also be the further duty of sall board to prescribe rules and regulations for the government of all the common schools within their jurisdiction; said board of education may provide for German schools for the instruction of such youth as may desire to study the German hargage, or the German and English languages. language, or the German and English languages thereupon assess the entire affinded of such estimates on all the travable property of the town-township; and it is hereby made the duty ship not included in any city or incorporated of the county auditor, to proceed forthship not included in any city of incorporated village or territory annexed thereto, forming any of the county auditor, to proveed forth-special district, to be entered by said auditor on with in case of such failure by suit against the tax duplicate of the county and collected by such treasurer, before any justice of the same manner as State and county taxes are col. peace of his county, to recover the penalty lected; and when collected shall be paid over to aforesaid; but when it shall appear on sees.

SEC. 14. The said board shall prepare, or cause to be prepared, a map of their township, as often as they may deem necessary, on which shall be designated the sub-districts of the township, which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which they may change or after at any regular which the contribution of said justice, that said treasurer was prevented from making such settlement within the time prescribed, by sickness, or unavoidable absolute the contribution of said justice. shall be lawful for the justice to discharge

84. In all such cities or ignorpo- Columbus, an abstract of all the returns onth or affirmation to support the coasti- furnished, shall be deemed the illages, the clerk or reporder of of school statistics, made to tun from the corporated body, shall be crerk of several townships in his county, accorded of education, and he shall do ing to the form that may be prescribed by form all the diffuse required of the State commissioner; and he shall of a township board of education, cause to be distributed all such circulars, and sud tother duties as the board of edu! blanks, and other papers, including school unation may from time to time, prescribe; laws and documents, in the several townand all orders of the Loard of education for ships in the county, as said commissioner when in the opinion of the board any school house or school house or school house or school house or school house site has bedesignate the sub-districts by numbering them, also stating the amount of said bond: corporation, and it shall be the duty of make return of the abstract, as aforesaid, he treasurer of any such city or incorpo- it shall be the duty of the county comrated village, to receive and disburse the missioners to deduct for every such failure, school funds of such city or village, in the from the annual salary or allowance made

> treasurers in their respective townships fifty dollars. . . and for his services shall be entitled to the | SEC. 41. The county commissioners of some compensation; provided, that the each county in this State, shall make the pard of education shall require the treas same allowance to the county auditors, urer to enter into a bond as required of out of their respective county treasuries, township treasurers, and that the said for services performed and expenses in-treasurer shall furnish the auditor a cerficale from the clerk or recorder of such other services of like nature, city or incorporated village, that such | SEC. 42. The township clerks and coun-

required of town hip treasures in similar by reason of any failure on their respect-Sec. 35. The board of education of any ations and abstracts thereof as herein Sec. 35. The board of education of any lations and abstracts thereof as herein be raised a furnishing the common schools such family attends any of the section of any lations and abstracts thereof as herein be raised as furnishing the common schools such family attends any of the section of any lations. and may exercise all the powers which same, in a civil action, at the suit of the are by this act conferred upon the town | State of Ohio; and the amounts so recovhip boards of education, and shall do ed shall be apportioned in the same manand perform the like duties in all respects ner as the school funds would have been as far as applicable, and the school funds to the respective counties or townships, as shall be divided among the sub districts the case may be. so as to make the distribution as nearly equitable as possible. All taxes for build of land which heretofore has been, or village, according to the enumeration of land which heretofore has been, or village, according to the enumeration of land which heretofore has been, or village, according to the enumeration of land which heretofore has been, or village, according to the enumeration of land which heretofore has been, or village, according to the enumeration of land which heretofore has been, or village, according to the enumeration of land which heretofore has been, or village, according to the enumeration of land which heretofore has been according

sary provisions for the sub-districts. for the government thereof.

Sec. 37. The auditor of state shall, an

nually, apportion the common school of schools funds among the different counties, upon the enumeration and returns made to him by the state commissioner of common the State, as soon after the election of schools, and certify the amount so appor- school officers under the provisions of tioned to the county auditor of each coun this act as practicable, to appoint a county, stating from what sources the same is ty board of school examiners, to consis ty treasurers shall retain in their respect ive treasuries from the state funds; and the county auditors shall, annually, and immediately after their annual settlement with the county treasurer, apportion the occur, whether from expiration of the cation in this State, in their respective according to the enumeration and returntownships, and the several other boards in their respective offices; and no town by said judge. may require; and in the location of primary schools, or sheeds of higher grade, the board shall have reference to population and neighbor hood, paying due regard to any school house of her proper county, together with a map of the proper county, together with a map of of the proper county and the proper county of the commission of the proper county of the proper county of the proper county of the commission of the proper county of the commission of the proper county of the proper county of the proper county of the commission of the commission of the proper county of the proper county of the proper county of the commission of the commission of the commission of the proper county of the proper county. The proper county of the commission of the proper county of the proper county of the proper county of the proper county of the county and the proper county of the proper county of the proper county of the proper county of the county and the proper county of the county and the proper county of the proper cou tablish within their respective jurisdice tribution, each county auditor shall ap tions, one or more separate schools for colored children, when the whole number duplicate of any township, for the use of by enumeration exceeds thirty, so as to schools, to such township; all moneys re afford them us far as practicable under crives from the state treasury, on accoura teacher a list of the scholars so assigned, and the board shall also have full power to regulate and control the admission of scholars to into the hands of the township treasurer, from privileges of a common school education. privileges of a common school education; the sale of section sixteen, or other lands and all such schools so established for in lieu thereof, to the civil townships and colored children shall be under the con-trol and management of the board of ed-surveyed township, or fractional township ucation, or other school officers who have to which such land belongs; all moneys in charge the educational interests of the received by the county treasurer on acders on the treasurer for such amount as may other schools; but in case the average count of the Virginia Military School number of colored children in attendance fund. United States Military District, and shall be less than fifteen for any one Connecticut Western Beserve, according month, it shall be the duty of said board to laws regulating the same; and al school composed of parts of two or more town- the treasurer, as may be derived from the state of education, or other school officers, to other moneys for the use of schools in the school composed of parts of two or more townships, it shall be the duty of the respective wax, or from any township tax levied for the condiscontinue said school or schools for any boards of the townships in which such period not exceeding six months at any by law, to the proper township; and he one time; and if the number of colored shall, immediately after making said ap children shall be less than fitteen, the difer such persons for educational purposes to the township in which such school house is or ment of teachers only, shall be distributed to the fownship in which such school house is or ment of teachers only, shall be distributed to the several sub-distribute and ish the township treasurers and township reasurers and recorders of incor

school funds of such city or village, in the from the annual salary or allowance made same manner as is required of the township to the auditor for his services, the sum of fice, discharge the duties of secretary to be done to the books, by persons en

reasurer has executed and deposited ty auditors shall be responsible for all losssuch bond, stating also the amount, as is es sustained by any township or county, ive parts to make and return the enumer-

so as to make the distribution as nearly Sec. 43. Each and every lot or parcel ng, purchasing, repairing or turnishing hereafter shall he appropriated for the school houses and lots shall be equally use of common schools in this State, on assessed on all the property subject to which there has been or shall be a shoolaxation in such city or incorporated vil- house erected, and which has been or age, and the board of education in ex shall be occupied for the purpose of acsage, and the board of education in exshall be occupied for the purpose of acsending the same shall make the necesary provisions for the sub-districts.

Sec. 36. In any district or sub district

shall be occupied for the purpose of acdistribution according to law. He shall have power to require of county audithave power to require of county auditors, township boards of education, or the taxable property of the state; and other laws appeal of the county and the county an Sec. 36. In any district or sub district time to time, howsoever or by whomso-composed in whole or in part of any city ever the legal title to the same may be other local school officers, clerks and ally, in addition to the revenues required or incorporated village, the board of edheld and vested, shall be and the same is ucation may, at their discretion, provide hereby exempted from sale, on any execution may, at their discretion, provide hereby exempted from sale, on any execution may at their discretion, provide hereby exempted from sale, on any execution may at their discretion, provide hereby exempted from sale, on any execution may be treasurers of townships, county treasurers of upon the dollar valuation, as aforesaid; a suitable number of evening schools, for dion, or other writ, or order in the nature cities and villages, copies of all reports by and the amount so levied and assessed. the in t uction of such youth, over twelve of an execution: provided, that the lot of years of age, as are prevented by their land so exempted, shall not exceed four daily avocation from attending day acres, and if there be any excess, that daily avocation from allending day acres, and if there be any excess, that schools, subject to such regulations as portion most convenient for school pursaid board, from time to time, may adop: poses shall remain exempt as aforesaid, to be determined by the proper school directors, or other officers having charge

Sec. 44. It shall be the duty of the probate judge in the several counties of derived, which said sum the several coun- of three competent persons, resident in the county, who shall hold their office for the term of two years, and until their successors are appointed; and all vacan-cies in said board which may thereafter term of office, refusal to serve, or otherwise, shall be filled by like appointment

modate the greatest number of candidates Sec. 55. It shall be the duty of said

Ings having been published in some news an annual report, on or before twentieth of selection in any city, township or vilto examine applicants and grant certifiwhen notin session in any one year, then
cates; but no fee or charge shall be made
the said report shall be made to the gov
for a certificate. No certificate of qualierpor, who shall cause the same to be fication shall be valid in any county except that in which the examination took place, nor for a longer period than two bivunless such person shall have first obtain- of the number of private or select successors shall be elected and qualified; ed from said examiners, or any two of schools in the state, so far as the same and such city or village may provide by them, a cer-incate of good moral charac-ter, and that he or she is qualified to teach orthography, reading, writing, arithmo-by, and English grammar; the number of teachers' institutes, and board, when so elected or appointed and

tution of the United States and of the of said several boards, or State of Ohio, and diligently and faithfully to discharge the duties of his place delivered, and shall not be sub as prescribed by law, which bend, with cution, sale or alienation, for a the certificate of his oath endorsed there- whatever, on, shall be filed with the Treasurer of Sec. 61. The local boards of

department shall be kept at the seat of countable for the preservatian of got inmeat, where a suitable office shall braries and apparatits; and they be furnished by the state, at which he have power to prescribe the time of shall give attendance when not absent on and the periods of returning the public business; and the state librarian belonging to the libraries, and also shall, in addition to the duties of his of- sess and collect the damages which the commissioner of common schools, to their use; and also to provide for under his direction.

SEC. 50. It shall be the duty of the commissioner to spend, annually, on an cal school boards, or other school average, at least ten days in each judicial having charge of schools, to app district of the State, superintending and librarians, and determine the place encouraging teachers' institutes, conferthe libraries shall be deposited, se ring with township boards of education such central points as will best a or other school officers, counselling teach- modate the schools and families of ers, visiting schools, and delivering lee- districts or sub-districts, as herein-bef tures on topics calculated to subserve the provided; and every family in each interests of popular education.

Sec. 51. As soon as the revenues, to the use of one volume at a time from be raised as hereinafter provided, for the school library, although no member with libraries and apparatus, will admit, the township; and the library it shall be the duty of the said commissionen, under the inspection of the sioner, to purchase the same, and the man, at stated periods through books and apparatus so purchased, shall year, to be prescribed by the books be distributed through the auditor's effice education, or other proper school off of each county to the board of education without regard to the session of

supervision over the educational funds of school fund shall hereafter consist of the state as may be necessary to secure sum as will be produced by the their safety and right application, and levy and assessment of two mills

forms and regulations for making all re- mon schools. ports, and conducting all necessary proceedings under this act, and shall cause tofore been contracted by any school disorganization and government of schools school boards created under the provis-to be transmitted to the local school officers, who shall be governed in accord-

ers' institutes, with an appendix of appropriate forms and instructions for car-ying into execution all such laws, to be with the clerk or secretary of such by said judge.

SEC. 45. It shall be the duty of the extraorder to fix upon the time of holding meetings for the examination of teachers, meetings for the e

paper of general circulation in their re- day of January in each and every year, lage, in which common schools have been spective counties; and at such meetings, to the General Assembly, when that body organized under the act for the better any two of said board shall be competent shall be in session in any such year; and regulation of public schools in cities, published, and shall also communicate a meeting of the qualified voters of any

years; and if at any time the recipient of Sec. 56. The state commissioner, in the termine by vote whether the common the certificate shall be found incompetent or negligent, the examiners, or any two of tions, shall present a statement of the shall be conducted and managed in acthem, may revoke the same, and require condition and amount of all funds and cordance with the provisions of this act; such teacher to be dismissed; but such property appropriated to purposes of edu and if a majority of the voters are for teacher shall be entitled to receive payment cation; a statement of the number of tobe in favor of the change, then a for services only up to the time of such dis- common schools in the state, the number cal board, or cal school of missal; and no person shall be employed as of scholars attending such schools, their shall thereafter proceed, in a teacher in any primary common school sex, and the branches taught; a statement with the provisions of this act, until their them, a cer-ificate of good mural charac- can be ascertained, and the number of ordinance for the election or appointment erson intends to teach the number of teachers attending them; qualified, shall together with the cleres higher grade, a statement of the estimates and ac-recorder of such city or village, possess cate of counts of the expenditures of the public the same powers and discharge the same school funds of every description: a state duties, within the limits of their jurisdiction as local limits of their jurisdiction.

ant of plans for the management and tion, as local directors and boards of edu-acne of common schools; and cation in townships. porance.

officers, to whom the same n

SEC. 49. The books and papers of his of common schools, shall be l safe keeping of the school apparatus

Sec. 62. It shall be the duty of trict or sub-district, shall be entitled

SEC. 63. For the purpose of affording the advantages of a free education to a Sec. 52. He shall also exercise such the youth of this state, the state commo SEC. 53. He shall prescribe suitable applied exclusively to the support of com-

SEC. 64. The debts which have herethe same with such instructions as he trict for school purposes, shall be provishall deem necessary and proper for the ded for by the estimates of the proper

Sec. 65. The process in all suits against ance therewith.

SEC. 54. He shall cause as many copies local officers having charge of any of of the laws selating to schools and teachprinted in a separate volume, and dis- board, or other school officers, at least tributed to each county with the laws, ten days before the return day thereof. journals and other documents for the use And any suit either in favor of or against

copy thereof to the next General Assem thirty days public notice thereof, to de-

er information relative to the cdinterests of the state as he may strued as to repeal, change, or modify in any respect, the several provisions of the The said commissioner shall act for the support and better regulation led to receive for his services the of common schools in the town of Akron, fifteen hundred dellars annually, passed Feb. eighth, one thousand eight be quarterly, out of the state treas hundred and forty-seven, and the acts on the warrant of the auditor of amendatory thereto; or the act for the better regulation of public schools in enties? c. 58. For the purpose of furnishing towns, &c., passed February twenty, one, libraries and apparatus, to all com- one thousand eight hundred and fortypols in the state, and for the fur nine, and the acts amendatory thereto. ose of sustaining and increasing nor the several acts creating special ries, and keeping up a supply of school districts, or any other special acts paratus in the schools, as afore in relation to schools, except that it is atus in the schools, as may be con, hereby made the duty of the several